

~~S. J. R. No. 30~~

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A JOINT RESOLUTION

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto another section, Section 51a, which shall read as follows:

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Enrolled

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State on the ~~first~~^{2nd} day of ~~July~~^{August}, A. D. 1933, at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to the Constitution providing that the Legislature may authorize the issuance of bonds of the State of Texas, not to exceed Twenty Million (\$20,000,000.00) Dollars, for relieving the hardships of unemployment and for the necessary appropriations to pay said bonds"; Those voters opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to the Constitution providing that the Legislature may authorize the issuance of bonds of the State of Texas, not to exceed Twenty Million (\$20,000,000.00) Dollars, for relieving the hardships of unemployment and for the necessary appropriations to pay said bonds".

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Section 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

SENATE CHAMBER

April 27, 1933

Honorable Edgar E. Witt,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

We, your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to
whom was referred S. J. R. No. 30

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the Constitution of the State of Texas
to be known as Section 51a; providing
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law the issuance and sale of bonds of
the State of Texas, not to exceed the
sum of \$20,000,000.00, etc.

have had the same under consideration and we desire to re-
port it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it
do pass and be printed.

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hereunder is expressly limited to the amount stated and to two years from and after the adoption of this grant of power by the people. *(Amendment No. 1)

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State on the Twenty-sixth day of August, A. D. 1933, at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to the Constitution providing that the Legislature may authorize the issuance of bonds of the State of Texas, not to exceed Twenty Million (\$20,000,000.00) Dollars, for relieving the hardships of unemployment and for the necessary appropriations to pay said bonds"; Those voters opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to the Constitution providing that the Legislature may authorize the issuance of bonds of the State of Texas, not to exceed Twenty Million (\$20,000,000.00) Dollars, for relieving the hardships of unemployment and for the necessary appropriations to pay said bonds."

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May 1, 1933

Hon. Edgar E. Witt,
President of the Senate.

WE, YOUR COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS
have had Senate Joint Resolution No. 30, carefully examined
and compared and find same correctly Engrossed.



C H A I R M A N

COMMITTEE ROOM

Date.....*May 30*....., 1933

Hon. Coke Stevenson,
Speaker of the House of Representatives,

Sir:

We, your Committee on.....*Constl Amendments*.....,
to whom was referred.....*S. J. R. #*..... No.....*30*....., have had
same under consideration and beg to report back with
recommendation that it do pass, and be..... printed

.....*Moffett*.....

Chairman.

1 By Rawlings, Woodul and Pace. S. J. R. No. 30.

2 [In the Senate.—April 17, 1933, constitutional rule suspended
3 by four-fifths vote to introduce bill; April 17, 1933, read first time
4 and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments; April
5 27, 1933, reported favorably; May 1, 1933, read second time, and
6 ordered engrossed; May 1, 1933, reported engrossed; May 2,
7 1933, failed to pass finally by the following vote: yeas 18, nays
8 12; May 2, 1933, motion to reconsider vote by which resolution
9 failed to pass spread on Journal; May 3, 1933, motion to recon-
10 sider prevailed and passed by the following vote: yeas 22, nays 6;
11 May 3, 1933, sent to House.]

12 BOB BARKER,
13 Secretary of the Senate.

14 May 1, 1933, engrossed.

15 ESSIE MCGINNIS,
16 Engrossing Clerk.

17 [In the House.—May 3, 1933, received from the Senate, read
18 first time and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amend-
19 ments; May 3, 1933, reported favorably; May 4, 1933, sent to
20 printer.]

21 A JOINT RESOLUTION

22 *Proposing an amendment to Article 3 of the Constitution of the*
23 *State of Texas to be known as Section 51a; providing that the*
24 *Legislature may authorize by law the issuance and sale of*
25 *bonds of the State of Texas, not to exceed the sum of Twenty*
26 *Million (\$20,000,000.00) Dollars, bearing interest not to ex-*
27 *ceed Four and one half (4½%) per centum per annum, and*
28 *to mature not to exceed Ten (10) years from their date, to be*
29 *used for relieving the hardships of unemployment; providing*
30 *for appropriations to pay said bonds and limiting the grant*
31 *of power to two years from date of adoption; providing for*
32 *submission of same to the qualified voters of the State; pro-*
33 *viding for the necessary proclamation and making an appro-*
34 *priation to defray the expenses of the proclamation, publica-*
35 *tion and election.*

36 Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

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38 of Texas be amended by adding thereto another section, Section
39 51a, which shall read as follows:

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1 by law the issuance and sale of the bonds of the State of Texas,
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4 ($4\frac{1}{2}\%$) per centum per annum; and payable serially or otherwise
5 not more than Ten (10) years from their date. The proceeds
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7 work relief to needy and distressed people and in relieving the
8 hardships resulting from unemployment, but to be fairly dis-
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10 may be provided by law and the Legislature shall make such
11 appropriations as are necessary to pay the interest and principal
12 of such bonds as the same becomes due. The power hereby
13 granted to the Legislature to issue bonds hereunder is expressly
14 limited to the amount stated and to two years from and after
15 the adoption of this grant of power by the people."

16 SEC. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be
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20 ballots the words, "For the amendment to the Constitution pro-
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23 000.00) Dollars, for relieving the hardships of unemployment
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30 employment and for the necessary appropriations to pay said
31 bonds."

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33 rected to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and
34 to have same published as required by the Constitution for
35 amendments thereto.

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37 much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out
38 of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appro-
39 priated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.
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COMMITTEE REPORT.

COMMITTEE ROOM,

Austin, Texas, May 3, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SIR: We, your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to whom was referred S. J. R. No. 30,

Have had same under consideration and beg to report back with recommendation that it do pass, and be printed.

MOFFETT, Chairman.

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AMEND S. J. R. 30 by adding at the end of Section 1 the following:

Provided that the Legislature shall provide for the payment of the interest and redemption of any bonds issued under the terms hereof from some source other than a tax on real property and the indebtedness as evidenced by such bonds shall never become a charge against or lien upon any property, real or personal, within this State.

METCALFE
FAIN.

MAY 11 1933
DATE

READ AND ADOPTED

AMEND S. J. R. No. 30 by adding after the word "date" in Line 5 on Page 2 of the printed Resolution, the following:

"And said bonds shall be sold for not less than par and accrued interest and no form of commission shall be allowed in any transaction involving said bonds."

LEONARD

MAY 11 1933
DATE

READ AND ADOPTED

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

May 15, 1933.

Hon. Edgar E. Witt,
President of the Senate.

WE, YOUR COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS,
have had SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 30, carefully
examined and compared and find same correctly
Enrolled.



C H A I R M A N

May 15, 1933.

Hon. Edgar E. Witt,
President of the Senate.

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have had SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 30, carefully
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A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Green", written in dark ink.

C H A I R M A N

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By _____

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APR 17 1933 Constitutional rule suspended by
4/5 vote to introduce bill.

APR 17 1933 Read first time

and referred to Committee

on

Constitutional Amendments

APR 27 1933

Reported Favorably

MAY 1 - 1933

Read second time,

and ordered engrossed.

Engrossed 5-1-33

Esse McInnis

Engrossing Clerk.

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BY WOODUL
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4-17-33 Constitutional Rule suspended by four-fifth vote to introduce bill.

4-17-33 Read first time and referred to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

4-27-33 Reported Favorably.

5-1-33 Read second time, and ordered engrossed.

5-1-33 Engrossed.

Essie McGinnis
ENGROSSING CLERK.

MAY 1 1933

Reported engrossed.

MAY 3 1933

Reported favorably

MAY 4 1933

Sent to Printer

MAY 2 - 1933

failed to pass finally by the following vote: yeas 18 - nays 12

MAY 2 - 1933

motion to reconsider vote by which Resolution failed to pass spread on Journal -

MAY 3 - 1933

motion to reconsider prevailed and passed by the following vote: yeas 22 nays 6

Bob Barker,
Secy of the Senate

MAY 3 - 1933

SENT TO HOUSE

Enrolled	5-15-33
<i>Essie McGinnis</i>	
Enrolling Clerk.	

IN THE HOUSE

Received from
Senate, read first time
and referred to Committee

on Constitutional
Amendment

MAY 3 1933 Reported favorably

MAY 4 1933 Sent to Printer

MAY 5 1933 Returned from Printer, Sent to Speaker.



(Inside)

MAY 11 1933

READ ^{Amended} AND PASSED ^{to third}
READING BY FOLLOWING VOTE
AYES 96 NAYS 45

MAY 11 1933 Motion to reconsider
vote by which S.J.R. 30 was
Passed to third reading
Prevalled by a viva voce vote.

MAY 11 1933 Read and passed to
third reading by a vote of
88 ayes and 50 noes.

MAY 11 1933 ✓ Sent to Speaker

MAY 12 1933

Read third time

and Passed

by following vote yeas 114

noes 32

James New Munney
MAY 12 1933 Sent to Senate

IN THE SENATE
MAY 12 1933 Received from
the House, with Amendments

MAY 15 1933 Senate Concurred in
House amendments by the
following vote: yeas 23 - Nays 5.

Bob Barker
Secy of the Senate